

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/572,935
Applicant : Guenther HAMBITZER et al
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Examiner : Adam A. Arciero

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Customer No.: 6449
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Election Requirement dated July 31, 2009, the response term of which has been extended by one month to September 30, 2009, the applicants hereby elect Group I, namely claims 1-9, 17-19 and 30-34 drawn to an electrochemical cell.

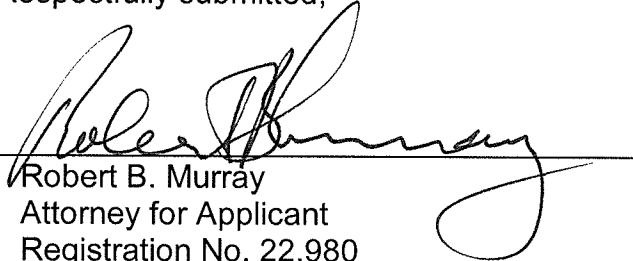
The Examiner's comments with respect to possible rejoinder are noted with appreciation. Every effort will be made to have all of the limitations of the broadest electrochemical cell claim appear in the broadest method claim.

Early and favorable action on the merits is awaited.

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Respectfully submitted,

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